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SUBJECT: SIHANOUK CALLING A HALT TO PRESS INTERVIEWS?

REF: PEKING 1137

1. WE HAVE HEARD FROM TWO LOCAL CORRESPONDENTS THAT SIHANOUK HAS INFORMED THEM HE WILL NO LONGER GIVE INTERVIEWS AND ALL FUTURE STATEMENTS WILL BE IN WRITTEN FORM. SIHANOUK ATTRIBUTED THIS DECISION TO CLAIM THAT HE TOO FREQUENTLY MISQUOTED BY PRESS.

2. COMMENT: IT IS EQUALLY POSSIBLE THAT DECISION TAKEN AT SUGGESTION OF CHINESE WHO PROBABLY HAVE BEEN EMBARRASSED BY SEVERAL OF SIHANOUK'S RECENT PRESS RAMBLINGS SUCH AS HIS ALGIERS INTERVIEW. IF ANYTHING, THESE WERE PROBABLY QUOTED TOO ACCURATELY FOR PEKING'S COMFORT. PEKING MAY ALSO BE TROUBLED BY CONTINUOUS CLAMOR OF JOURNALISTS, INCLUDING AMERICAN, SEEKING ENTRY INTO PEKING TO INTERVIEW PRINCE.
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